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TO: Iowa Medicaid Medical Supply and Pharmacy Providers

ISSUED BY: Iowa Department of Human Services, Iowa Medicaid Enterprise

RE: Automated Medication Dispensers

EFFECTIVE: September 1, 2008

In order to expedite processing of claims for automated medication dispensers, such as the MD2 and the MedReady devices, covered under the medical equipment and supply policy, procedure code A9280 has been added to the Medicaid claims payment system. Effective September 1, 2008, claims for these devices should be billed using procedure code A9280. Procedure code E1399 should not be used for automated medication dispensers with dates of service on or after September 1, 2008.

If you have any questions, please contact IME Provider Services, 1-800-338-7909, locally 515-725-1004 or by e-mail at imeproviderservices@dhs.state.ia.us